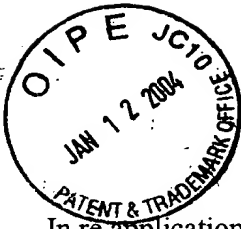


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In re application of:	Richard M. Orazietti	Confirmation No.	3161
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**RESPONSE AFTER FINAL OFFICE ACTION PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.113
AND § 1.116**

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Office action dated October 10, 2003, please enter the following remarks into the above-captioned application. Applicants submit that no new matter has been added and that the following remarks are proper.

After entry of this amendment, the pending claims are: claims 1-33. No fee is believed to be due with the filing of this response. Should any fee(s) be required, however, please charge such fee(s) to Pennie & Edmonds LLP deposit account no. 16-1150. A copy of this sheet is enclosed for such purpose.